

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
Christophe DUMOUSSEAU et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1617
Application No.: 10/566,965	)	Examiner: Layla SOROUGH
Filed: August 19, 2006	)	
For: COSMETIC COMPOSITION	)	Confirmation No. 9332
COMPRISING POROUS	)	
PARTICLES INCORPORATING	)	
OPTICALLY ACTIVE	)	
SUBSTANCES	)	<b><u>VIA EFS WEB</u></b>

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a three-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office  
Action of June 11, 2008.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached  
reply and charge the required fee of \$1,110.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,  
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: December 11, 2008

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